

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

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Page 3, line 19 to page 3, line 26.

Most multimedia portable devices available today include a stereo sound card coupled to a pair of internal speakers, which is capable of producing sound having a limited audio frequency range. ~~Since~~ Because the internal speakers are typically small in size (due to space constraints), the speaker output generally sounds metallic due to an inadequate bass or low frequency component. Presently, some portable information handling system devices offer connections to external speakers to enhance the sound. However, this reduces the portability of the device and consumes more power.

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FIG. 1A is a view in perspective of a battery, according to an embodiment[[:]].

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FIG. 1B is a view in perspective of a battery system with a number of cells removed, according to an embodiment[[:]].

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FIG. 1C is a view in perspective of a speaker container suitable for housing a speaker assembly, according to an embodiment[[:]].

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FIG. 1D is a view in perspective of a battery system and a speaker container illustrating matching form factors to facilitate installation, according to an embodiment[[:]].

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FIG. 1E is a view in perspective of a battery system with a speaker container being installed in a space created by removal of the cells, according to an embodiment[[:]].

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FIG. 2A illustrates a diagrammatic representation of a battery for incorporating a speaker assembly, according to an embodiment[[:]].

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FIG. 2B illustrates a diagrammatic representation of a battery for incorporating a speaker assembly and audio electronics, according to an embodiment[[:]].

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FIG. 3 is a flow chart illustrating a method for incorporating a speaker assembly in a portable device of the information handling system, according to an embodiment; and.